

DETAILED INFORMATION ON SHIPS IN THIS PRESENTATION

USS Bronstein DE189

Keel laid Aug 26, 1943 - Launched November 14, 1943

First day in commission (FDC) December 13, 1943

Last day in commission (LDC) November 5, 1945

Post office established (POE) December 15, 1943

Post office Disestablished (POD) June 15, 1946

USS Bronstein DE1037

Keel laid May 16, 1961 - Launched March 31, 1962

FDC June 15, 1963

LDC December 13, 1990

POE June 15, 1963

USS Eisner DE192

Keel laid September 23, 1943 - Launched December 12, 1943

FDC January 1, 1944

LDC July 5, 1946

POE January 10, 1944

POD April 1, 1946.

USS Flusser DD368

Keel laid June 4, 1934 - Launched September 28, 1935

FDC October 1, 1936

LDC December 16, 1946

POE October 10, 1936

POD January 15, 1946

USS Samuel Gompers AD37

Keel laid July 9, 1964 - Launched May 14, 1966

FDC July 1, 1967

LDC October 27, 1995

POE July 1, 1967

POD October 3, 1995

USS Hyman

Keel laid November 22, 1943 - Launched April 8, 1944

FDC June 16, 1944

LDC November 14, 1969

POD none - given as such used different cancels.

USS Ira Jeffrey APD ex DE63 ex Jeffrey

Keel laid February 13, 1943 - Launched May 15, 1943

FDC August 15, 1943

LDC June 18, 1946

POE September 1, 1943

POD March 29, 1946

Name changed July 29, 1943. Designate. Changed February 23, 1945. Struck June 1, 1960.

Sunk during ordinance tests July 1962.

USS Levy DE162

Keel laid October 19, 1942 - Launched March 28, 1943

FDC May 13, 1943

LDC April 4, 1947

POE June 7, 1943

POD January 31, 1947

USNS Michelson Launched as Joliet Victory during WWII

Keel laid May 5, 1944 and delivered July 7, 1944. Ship constructed in 63 days.

Converted to the USNS Michelson October 10, 1957 thru September 30, 1958.

USS Noa APD 24 ex DD343

Keel laid November 18, 1918 - Launched June 28, 1919.

FDC February 15, 1921

LDC October 11, 1934

POE June 26, 1923

POD October 11, 1934

First day re-commissioned April 1, 1940.

Sunk September 12, 1944

Post office reestablished April 15, 1940.

POD September 12, 1944.

Decommissioning was announced for October 15, 1934 and many covers were postmarked in advance with that date. However, the event was advanced to October 11 with little notice and only 13 covers were postmarked on the correct day. Sunk in a collision with Fullam, in the Pacific, Sept 12, 1944.

USS NOA DD841

Keel laid March 26, 1945 - Launched July 30, 1945

FDC November 2, 1945

LDC October 31, 1973

POE November 2, 1945

POD June 30, 1960

Post office closed 1960-62 for overhaul. Sold to Spain Oct 31, 1973.

USS RUCHAMKIN LPR89 ex APD89 ex DE228.

Keel laid February 14, 1944 - Launched June 15, 1944

FDC September 16, 1945

LDC February 27, 1946

POE September 1, 1945

POD December 31, 1945

First day re-commissioned March 9, 1951

Post office re-established May 16, 1951

POD November 25, 1955

LDC August 13, 1957

First day re-commissioned November 18, 1961

LDC November 24, 1969

Designated change to APD July 19,1944 and to LPR January 1,1969. Transferred to Columbia in 1969.

USS SILVERSTEIN DE534.

Keel laid October 8,1943 - Launched November 8,1943

FDC July 14,1944

LDC January 15,1947

POE July 14,1944

POD May 13,1946

First day re-commissioned February 28, 1951

Post office re-established April 18, 1951

LDC January 30, 1959

USS JOSEPH STRAUSS DDG 16

Keel laid December 27, 1960 - Launched December 9, 1961

FDC April 20, 1963

LDC February 1, 1990

POE April 20, 1963

POD December 15,1989

USS STERN DE187

Keel laid August 12, 1943 - Launched October 31,1943

FDC December 1,1943

LDC April 26, 1946

POE November 30, 1943

POD April 8,1946

Transferred to the Netherlands May 1951. Returned in 1967 and sold for scrap in 1968.

USS STRAUS DE408

Keel laid November 18, 1943 - Launched December 30, 1943

FDC April 6, 1944

LDC January 15, 1947

POE March 15, 1944

POD May 23, 1946

Struck May 1, 1966. Sunk as a target August 1, 1973.

USS TAUSSIG DD746

Keel laid August 30, 1943 - Launched January 25, 1944

FDC May 20, 1944

LDC December 1, 1970

POE May 15, 1944

POD September 1, 1970